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## COMMUNICATION REGARDING LATE FILING OF DECLARATION

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Sir:

Submitted herewith is the above-identified patent application of Rob C. Arnold, Warren W. Westlund, II, David Van Koevering, Robert D. Lawson, Lance E. Lyda, Kenneth R. Noyce, Robert Phillips, John M. Pursey and Gary L. Snethen. The application is complete but lacks a signed Declaration. Applicants respectfully request that a Notice of Missing Parts (filing date accorded) indicating the serial number and filing date be forwarded to the undersigned, whereupon a signed Declaration and the surcharge due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 will be filed.

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